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reines the house and vishington's favorite rest-can forget the reverential which the worthy colonel fact, recorded to the glory on, that through the long ount Vernon was the one t where Unionist and Seet as brothers, and where strifes were forgotten? for its simplicity, the ild tenderly say, "And you Washington said in his the tomb shall be of

difig to the eagle within he would tell you with a l that the only descration committed during the war, soldiers of both armies met was that a "relic hunof the carried

ce," he would add, "for it on his return to Vir ook it simply as a relic

colonel's mirthful humor ole over the seriousness of one and he would say with an forestable twinkle, "I say dis-a relie hunter! I was asked day who Alec Hunter was!' this place he would point out se which gave rise to Mark ous story of the lady weepin passionate sensibility. it for the tomb; and the Washington threw the silicross the Potomae clear to side, linking with it the Evarts who, when asked eved it, replied quickly, A dollar went a great

im those days! ng, on, he would point out Pand trees, the magolia planted the year that Washing on died, which, only ninety years old now, is coeval with the century; the trees planted by the emperor of Bra-zil, Dom Pedro, and by the Prince of

"They died and were planted again; died; planted again; died. Royalty flourish on this soil; but look here," he would say, "the temperance ladies planted this and it lives and and every day we give it a the bottle of Washington's saw taken out of probably contained-vine

There were all sorts of things taken out of the wall, after the falling of the ceiling in the banqueting room, in 1883 or slippers, snow shoes, belts, all of vine a mouse in a bottle, etc., all of the were displayed as curios.

The "hatchet story," Col. Hollings ford maintained, belonged to an earlier day than Mount Vernon, and the scene of it he laid forty miles farther down the river on the farm where Washington was born, and where the veritable hatchet was plowed up from

His version of it was very different on the tradition of the y tree story. Ashington, so he said, had a little ored servant who was the partner ther solemnly asked about his tree, George boldly realied, at it, with my little hatchet." no story was dearer to his

than that of the superb banqueting room, carved finest Carrara marble voyage from the Mediterit met with many perils. as captured by pirates who then

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